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In re Application of:  
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Serial No.: 09/904,312

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Docket No.: ACH2807US

Filing Date: July 12, 2001

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For: MIXED METAL CATALYST COMPRISING A  
COMBUSTIBLE BINDER, ITS PROCESS  
OF PREPARATION AND USE

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a responsive document(s) for this application.

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Respectfully submitted,

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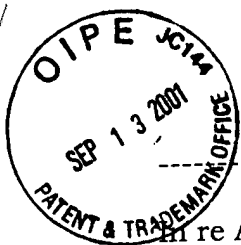
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application, dated August 29, 2001, enclosed herewith is the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney from the inventors, and Part 2 of the Notice.

Authorization to charge the Missing Parts Fee is attached hereto in the Transmittal Letter.

Enclosed herewith is a certified copy of European Patent Application No. 00202467.7 of which is the priority application of the instant application.

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
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